

THE BOURBON NEWS.

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No small-pox in this county.

Mumps have made their appearance in Paris.

The Lexington ice factory will begin freezing next week.

GREENS, by the wagon loads, are now flooding our markets.

The lying season has commenced; for it is said that fish are biting.

"UNCLE" DICK HINTON fell down on a chair and broke a rib on last Wednesday.

McCRAY, our auction man, has gone to Millersburg, to run his business a few days.

"SUE MONDAY'S" war spur can be seen at this office. It is a daisy, and weighs 14 pounds.

The Willard Hotel, of Louisville, has been sold, and so have all who bought tickets to draw it.

The liabilities of Estin Spears will reach from \$8,000 to \$10,000, and his assets are about \$2,500.

P. BORIOTT has gone to the lakes to make arrangements for furnishing ice to the Parisians next summer.

The name of Guiteau is hardly mentioned now of days. When the hanging is over, he'll soon be forgotten.

Velveteen has once more become a fashionable material. The best quality is certainly beautifully made, and yet the price is low.

Geo. R. MARTIN, of Carlisle, has just finished making a survey of a tract of over 1,500 acres of land belonging to J. E. Clay, of this precinct.

Patti offered to sing in Petersburg, Va., for \$8,000. The citizens pledged \$400 and a ton of peanuts, but the girl was too wide. They let her go.

When a man philosophizes enough to know how to spend less money than he makes, he then checks his Maud S. strides for the poor house.

The new freight engines now on the main line of the K. C., are much larger and heavier than the celebrated "Mogul," on the Maysville branch.

To be, or not to be—that is the question. Whether it is nobler in the minds of men to take drink, or eat crawfish and go a huckleberry hunting?—"LAWYER JONES."

THOS. REEVES, aged about 19, (sent to the penitentiary from Bourbon two years ago for forging a check on Citizen's Bank), was arrested in Lexington Tuesday, having stolen cattle in his possession.

Assignees Sale Of Dry Goods.

J. Estin Spears' entire stock of Dry Goods and Notions will be offered for a few days only at cost for the CASH.

J. T. McMillan, Assignee of J. Estin Spears.

In Common Pleas Court Wednesday, the suit of John S. Vimont, of Millersburg, vs. Farrar & Co., was decided in favor of the defendants—Miss Bramford claiming the stock of goods under the firm name.

Our passenger depot has been treated to a beautiful new red and yellow safe—a regular Oscar Wilde affair. It is almost as pretty as the new scarlet caboose on the K. C. line, or the "pink stable" in Lexington.

JOHN G. SMEDLEY, of Millersburg, who is one of the tastiest dry goods men in the State, passed through the city yesterday en route for the Eastern markets for his Spring stock. He will be joined by his old friend, J. L. Wagoner, of Frankfort, at Cleveland, and will make their 38th trip East together.

Geo. CLINE, who was arrested for an alleged attempt of violence on the person of Miss Martha Vaughn, of Nicholas county, has been released on a bail bond of \$500. We understand that overtures have been partially made by the prosecution, to compromise the case by the payment of \$75. If this be true, Cline ought to be discharged.

TUESDAY night, the North-bound freight ran over and killed an unknown man near Muir's Station. He was an Irishman, and formerly a laborer on the Big Sandy road, and was en route for Butler's Station—his wife having preceded him on a passenger train. He was said to have been very drunk, and possibly fell over and went to sleep on the track. Persons who visited the scene were sickened at the sight. The entrails of the unfortunate man lay in a heap under the bridge, a considerable distance from the body, and his scalp, face and moustache were hanging near by on a bush.

"PRAISE THE LORD!"

Rev. Geo. O. Barnes in Paris.

The Rev. George O. Barnes, the great Kentucky revivalist, and "Faith Cure" advocate, arrived in this city last evening in company with his family, and took rooms at the Bourbon House. According to an announcement by telegram, he preached at the Christian Church, and notwithstanding his appointment clashed with that of the celebrated little Kentucky actress, Miss Julia Hunt, in the fascinating role of "Florinel," he drew a crowded house. Of the two great attractions, the News caught on to "Florinel" as a last chance, promising to follow up the distinguished Reverend gentleman the balance of his stay in our city, and will take copious notes of his entire repertoire and all of the little side issues from time to time, of which the insatiable public shall have a full benefit.

The Rev. Mr. Barnes is six feet and half an inch tall, an hawk-like blue eye set well back in the socket, a Roman nose, long flowing Captain Jenks side-whiskers, and a splendid suit, of Buffalo Bill hair. He is a very magnetic and fluent conversationalist, and "Praises the Lord" in social conversation. Except that he wears the appearance of being ten years older, and slightly taller, he is almost the picture of Capt. R. S. Cheeves, the temperance lecturer.

B. A. NOLAN, dry-goods merchant of Versailles, assigned with liabilities at \$9,000, and assets \$10,500.

FRANK LYNN, a school boy, dropped dead near Aberdeen from bleeding at the nose, a day or two ago.

A religious revival of fifteen days duration, in the Baptist church at Perryville, resulted last week in one hundred and sixty conversions.

The troupe of McIntyre & Heath's Minstrels, did a fair business Wednesday night, and the entertainment was pronounced fair.

O. J. Wiggins, it is reported, will soon lead to the altar the daughter of a prominent and wealthy family of Bourbon county.—[Covington Commonwealth.]

Capt. R. S. Cheeves made us a call yesterday, while en route to Flemingsburg to lecture. He was pointed out by a reporter of the True Kentuckian, as the Rev. Geo. O. Barnes, who was expected on that train.

John Boulden, of Millersburg, was orderly sergeant pro-tem, in a company in which "Sue Munday" (Jerome Clark) fought his first battle. He used a Colts revolver, which didn't carry up half way to the enemy's skirmish line.

Jack Hook is in Maysville, with a family of seven trotters—among them Leon-tine and Cyclone. The Bulletin says there will be sixty horses there within the next two weeks; among them the stable of Allen Bashford, of Paris.

Old citizens of Montgomery county, claim that the far-famed bluegrass of Kentucky, first sprung from some English grass, near Grassy Lick, in that county. It sprang up promiscuously where the wild animals tramped down to cane coming to the Lick.

A Sharpsburg Sharper.

JAMES McCUE, who hails from Bath County, seems to be in rather bad luck recently. A few months since he visited Cincinnati, and purchased several bills of goods from various merchants. A few days ago he wrote his creditors that he was going West, and packed his goods for that purpose. Last Tuesday, while en route to Covington, he was arrested at Falmouth and placed in jail on the charge of trying to leave the State for the purpose of defrauding his creditors. He was subsequently released at the request of the plaintiff, Mr. Means, a traveling salesman for Owens & Barkley, of Maysville, Ky. When Mr. Cue arrived in Covington he tried to make an assignment to Vanden, as his goods on the road were consigned to him, but by some means the deed of assignment was not lodged for record. The goods arrived, and were attached by Deputy Sheriff Greer D. Cox on several suits. Mr. Vanden claimed the goods as they were consigned to him, but he was too late.

Another attachment suit was filed yesterday against McCue, the plaintiffs being Owens & Barkley, of Maysville, and their claim \$562.50. This is the third attachment suit against Mr. McCue, the other two having been filed by A. Ho'dridge & Co., and Isaac Hermann, of Cincinnati. The aggregate of the three claims is \$1,350 and a little interest and costs. The Sheriff attached a lot of shoes, &c., at the Kentucky Central Depot yesterday consigned to F. M. Vanden. Bentons & Fisks, attorneys.—[Cov. Cor. Enquirer.]

SOCIETY SCINTILLATIONS.

Violets are the flower of the passing moment.

A good place for an earthquake—over at Shakertown.

B. W. Rose has arrived in Mt. Sterling, from Dallas, Texas.

Jersey jackets will be worn again this Spring, by young girls.

Panier effects are taking a decided place among spring styles.

Dr. Richard, who died in Sharpsburg, had a \$7,000 policy on his life.

The crab and the spider are favorite creatures in millinery ornaments.

All sorts of sleeves are in vogue, but the coat sleeve remains the favorite.

Dick Dorsey, formerly of this place, is Street Commissioner of Mt. Sterling.

Dark straw millinery goods will be more worn this Spring than light ones.

The bluebirds are admiring the small boys to save up their circus money.

D. T. Owens and family, of Cane Ridge have moved to Eldorado Springs, Missouri.

Shoulder capes should be worn only by slender, well-formed, and graceful women.

Little silver cats and kittens take the place of pigs and elephants on lace pins.

The first spring straw hats and bonnets will be trimmed with feathers and ribbons, only.

The man who invented chewing gum ought to be shot, hung, and transported across the seas.

He that does good for good's sake, seeks neither praise nor reward, though sure of both at last.

Dr. Louin Duran, a long haired, fine looking Indian doctor, has been meditating around Cynthiana.

Paris girls kiss the sweet good-bye on the depot platform, just like they do at Millersburg and Carlisle.

Polk Forsyth has been called to a new field of labor at Millersburg, in the auction business. "Praise the Lord."

It requires more nerve for a young man to walk around without a cent in his pocket, than it does to charge a battery.

Trimmed skirts are great favorites with the majority of ladies—a convenient style, and one that is generally becoming.

This detestable bowed back walking of most Kentucky girls might be remedied by putting on their corsets "hind part before."

Judge Major, of Kentucky, asserts that Gen. Santa Anna, the Mexican Dictator, was the illegitimate son of Nat Sanders, of this State.

Miss Effie Wadell, of Millersburg, went visiting to Ma yalick, and was fortunate enough to get a school at \$75 per month, and at once we ut to teaching.

The Wall brothers, of Cynthiana, are conducting quite a thriving little business in the wholesale tobacco and cigar business. Dick is the stage horse of the firm.

Alex Butler has engaged as a dry goods clerk with Hughes & Sm edley, of Millersburg, and it is generally believed that he will succeed Mr. Hughes, in the partnership.

Nothing adds so much to the grace of a lady, as a pretty walk. The essentials in this poetry of motion is to throw the toes out, shoulders back, and chin slightly elevated.

Bind raw cotton to your corns and wet them three times a day for three days with turpentine, and if they are not cured in that time, call at the News office and call us a liar.

Walter Raleigh, a Democratic voter of forty years' standing, from the old Republican city of Lansing, Michigan, was in this city Wednesday, in the interest of the whip and lash house of Clark & Co.

We dreamed the other night, that we were dead, and knocked for admission into the pearly gates, and in answer to "whose there?" we answered "an ex-Bourbon." Old Peter replied, "Oh, go on away old Craddock, you can't beat this place."

Mr. J. B. Hale, from Boston, Mass., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. F. Tarrant, of the Lexington Female College, while en route for Alabama, to settle up his father's estate. He made his sister some handsome presents, and gave her much encouragement in her laudable enterprise.

Henry Ward Beecher fainted in Chicago the other night, in the midst of his lecture entitled "The value of Luxury and Beauty." If Henry would now turn his attention practically to a lecture entitled, "Fresh air in crowded Churches and Lecture Halls," he would not only be profited himself, but would add to the health of many dying slowly by the inhalation of poisonous gases.

Joe Nesbitt will move back to his farm near Millersburg, in a few days.

Women begging with rag babies in their arms, is the newest dodge out West.

Seal brown and sapphire blue are shades that blend very beautifully in the daytime.

Tim Clancy, who died near Carlisle, was buried in the Catholic cemetery, here Wednesday.

Sun flowers are healthy anyhow, and planted in the front and back yards keeps away infection.

If a young man has no dollars of own, the next best venture is to marry a girl who has some to spare.

Mr. Halfhill lives in Bourbon county, and there's a town named "Hell's half-acre," in Robertson county.

The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

Snipe-shooting is in season.

Hemp is being delivered here at from \$5 to \$5 75 per cent.

The Cynthiana Fair Grounds' stables are being immensely improved.

A grain elevator, capacity 200,000 bushels, is to be built at Lexington.

Mr. Miller, of Steyertown, Pa., is in the county again after more grade cattle.

Hardin county farmers are going to raise large quantities of sorghum for stock feed.

The fruit trees in Bourbon are holding out a big invitation for ice and snow in April.

Trimble & English, of Mt. Sterling, sold a fancy pair of mules to go to Missouri, for \$400.

Plowing is progressing finely throughout the country, and tobacco beds are being sown.

The man with the best stallion in the State, can be found in every haunt and hamlet.

The Mt. Sterling Sentinel tells of a Menifee county ewe raising eleven lambs at four births.

Wheat in the western portion of Warren county is too forward for this season, as some of it is jointing.

The prospect is fair for wheat to head out in the latter days of March, should the weather keep warm.

Forty-six shares of Flat Rock & Paris turnpike stock, at \$50 each, have been sold at \$35 per share.

Elmore Stoker has a cow which has given birth to and raised four good calves within the twelve months.

Eld Taylor Sharrard has returned home from Vanceburg, where he has just closed a meeting with forty-eight additions.

John W. Wood, of Powersville, lost three horses valued at \$100 each, from eating hemlock plank used in making troughs and mangers.

G. W. McCormick, of Montgomery county, traded a drove of horses for 1,750 acres of land in North Georgia, and will raise his own cotton and tar.

Dick Remington, the champion fisher of Cynthiana, has thrown in his line and made the discovery that bass are on the move, and also reports at fishing perfectly splendid below his town.

John R. Swiney proposed to the committee on improving the Bourbon Fair Grounds, to donate with four other friends \$100 each toward making a regular race track—not an "Agricultural horse-trotting" track.

Beef cattle are very scarce and are high in price throughout the bluegrass region, owing to Eastern and Western traders having bought most all of the nice grade heifers. Our butchers complain that they can make nothing at the present high prices.

THEOLOGICAL.

Baptizing fifteen persons in five minutes is the fastest time on record. It has been reached by a Iowa preacher.

The new Methodist church at Richmond is to be lighted from the ceiling, and the seats will be elegant opera chairs.

Rev. E. Polk, of Louisville, Ky., will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday. It is desired that all the members especially be present. The public are cordially invited.

Notice To Debtors and Creditors.

All persons indebted to J. Estin Spears, must pay the undersigned immediately. And all persons having claims against J. Estin Spears are requested to present them, proved according to law to the undersigned for payment, or leave them with W. H. McMillan, Atty at Law.

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BLUE GRASS ROUTE.

Time Table in Effect Since March 13th.

Leave Lexington 7:30 a. m. and 2:15 p. m.

Leave Maysville 5:45 a. m. and 12:30 p. m.

Leave Paris 8:20 a. m. and 3:05 p. m.

Leave Cynthiana 8:55 a. m. and 3:40 p. m.

Leave Falmouth 10:00 a. m. and 4:40 p. m.

Arr Cincinnati 11:45 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

Leave Lexington 4:35 p. m. Arrive at Maysville at 8:15 p. m.

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